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OF THE UNITED STATES FOR

Bolsheviks Threaten Poland;

Friction Develops in Riga Parley-13,000 Persons Re-

ported Shot by Reds in Crimea—Chilean Re-

publican Party Split.

By the Associated Press.

LONDON, January 1.—Friction has developed between the Russian and Polish peace delegates at Riga, says a dispatch to the Herald from Riga. M. Dombski, chief spokesman for Poland in the negotiations, protested that the Russians violated the armietical line.

Vilna Plan May Be Held Up. THE HAGUE—According to the Dutch government the league of

Dutch government the league of nations council has asked Lithuania and Poland whether a 
league-controlled plebiscite now will 
be necessary at Vilna. Pending an 
answer Holland will postpone her action on the bill before parliament proposing that Holland participate in the 
Vilna guard by sending troops to that 
point, which has met with much opposition in parliament.

Norway Hits Red Propaganda.

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COPENHAGEN—The authorities in Norway have decided to bring action against the president of the labor party and the Social Demokraten for having admitted that the labor party sent bolshevik literature from Norway to foreign countries, says a dispatch to the National Tidende from Christiania. The newspaper adds that the police at Vardo, on the Arotic ocean, off the extreme northeast coast of Norway, recently seized two and a half tons of bolshevik literature smuggled into Norway from Russia.

Cuba Extends Moratorium

HAVANA.—President Menocal signed a decree extending the moratorium until January 31, 1921. This action was taken at the request of senators and representatives, in order that the legislature might be given time to enact measures for solving the existing financial problems.

Mexico Gets German Recognition

MEXICO CITY.—Formal recogni-tion of the Mexican government by Germany, signed by President Ebert and Foreign Minister Simons, has been received here. The letter of recognition is effusive in "most fer-vent wishes for the processity."

vent wishes for the prosperity of Mexico, with personal assurances of highest regard and friendship."

Part of Canada to Be Dry.

Brazilian Congress Adjourns.

RIO JANEIRO.—Adjournment was taken by the Brazilian congress today. The next session will begin on May 3 next.

Krassin Makes Progress.

LONDON.—Further progress has been made in the negotiations which Leonida Krassin, the Russian bolshevik minister of trade and commerce,

Prospective Early Peace With U.S.

Arouses Keen Interest in Germany

Regarded as "One of Few Agreeable Aftermaths of

War"-Nation Enters New Year Realizing

Gravity of Treaty Obligations.

Russians violated the armistice line, while M. Joffe, head of the Russian dele-

while M. Joffe, head of the Russian delegation, in reply, is declared to have charged the Poles did not evacuate certain villages in accordance with the armistice undertaking, besides accusing them of plundering and other outrages. M. Joffe demanded the withdrawal of all Polish troops to the armistice line; otherwise Russia would take action.

Shoot 13,000 in Crimea.

LONDON—The bolsheviki in the Crimea have shot 13,000 persons, according to the latest reports from Russia, says a dispatch to the Exchange Telegraph from Berlin, dated Thursday.

Reds Kill Ex-Minister.

COPENHAGEN.—M. Pereveizeff, former Russian minister of justice in Prince Lvoff's cabinet in 1917, is reported to have been shot by bolsheviki at Sebastopol.

Passenger Plane Wrecked. BILBAO, Spain.—A hydroplane engaged in passenger service between Bayonne, France, and this city has been lost with four aboard. Wreck-

age has been found by a fishing boat

Royal Tour Continues. SANTIAGO, Chile.—The Spanish Infante Fernando de Baviera has arrived here from Punta Arenas on his way

Factions in Chilean Party.

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SANTIAGO, Chile.—Dispatches from La Paz, where the Bolivian presidential convention is in session, state that the republican party, which triumphed in the revolution there last July, is divided into two factions. One wing favors the election of Bautista Saavedra, the present provincial president, and the other has divided its support between Jose Escalier and Daniel Salamanca.

Brazilian Congress Adjourns.

agreeable aftermaths of the war.

This is partly because there never

viction that the United States will not present staggering bills for indemnities and that commercial relations with the United States will be resumed on a large and generous scale. A spring influx of American tourists also is one of the comfortable speculations indulged in as a natural result of the recent American and German shipping agreements.

Germany enters the new year with a growing sense of the gravity of her

Germany enters the new year with a growing sense of the gravity of her position under the treaty of Vermilles and of the immensity of the cost she is called on to pay for a lost world war. Another prominent manifestation on the opening of 1921 is the steady drift away from political and economic radicalism, so that no matter how the treaty is modified or changed in the near future Germany is resigned to her inevitable lot and is seeking to meet it by an intensification of effort and of exploitation throughout her wide field of industries and resources.

Bolshevism as Specter.

While the specter of bolshevism con-

While the specter of bolshevism continues to cast a sinister shadow across the East Prussian frontier, German prophets of Russian communism are finding dwindling favor among the rank and file of the German proletariat. That this is the actual condition in Germany today in the face of the fact that the Moscow government succeeded in reinforcing itself at home is received as proof of the familiar theory

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to Buenos Aires.

Moderate Elements in Party Join With Able Leaders in Renouncing Lenin. By Cable to The Star and Chicago Daily News. (Copyright, 1921.)

PARIS, January 1 .- The vote of a najority of the French socialists to join the Moscow internationale, that is to say, to accept the dictatorship of Nikola Lenin, merely consecrates formally a situation which has ex-isted for some months. The only concrete result is the secession of all the moderate elements in the party, along with the ablest leaders, including such men as Jean Longuet, Pierre Renaudel and Marcel Sembat, who refuse to surrender their independence of thought and action to the Russians.

Reactionaries are delighted, for the average of the second for the surrender of the second for the second to the second for the second to the second for the second to the seco event even seems to mark the end for the time being of French radicalism. The general labor confederation, following the disastrous strike of last May, has been reduced in membership from more than 1,000,000 to barely half that number, and now the socialists are paralyzed by the split in their ranks. Moreover, it is far easier for the government to deal firmly with the rank fanatic ex-tremists than with the well unified, well led and sensible opportunist radicals such as existed in the day of Juarez.

Moderate socialists, who realize full well the hopelessness of the party's present situation, are inclined to attribute their misfortunes entirely to Lenin's egotistic attempt to make himself master of the labor movement throughout the world.

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ALSATIANS IN GERMANY
BITTER TOWARD FRENCH

Refugees Live in Former Camp for British Prisoners, Now Pretitish Prisoners, Now Pretitish Prisoners, Now Pretitish Prisoners and Bavaria are overrun by refugees from Alsecand consequently the feeling against the French rule. The history is that in three and the prisoners in the main recreation park in the center of Karsune. These former shacks which formerly housed British prisoners in the main recreation park in the center of Karsune. These former prisons have all been converted into residences by Alsatians, who have danged the windows with lace content of the residences by Alsatians, who have danged the windows with lace demand and given the wire-invented to the statement of the free prisons have all been converted into residences by Alsatians, who have danged the windows with lace content of the residences by Alsatians, who have danged the windows with lace content of the residences by Alsatians, who have danged the windows with lace content of the residences by Alsatians, who have danged the windows with lace content of the residences by Alsatians, who have danged the windows with lace content of the residences by Alsatians, who have danged the windows with lace content of the residences by Alsatians, who have danged the windows with lace content of the residences of his the free demandation of the French. They bushels per acre. If half of what is alleged should prove to be true their demandation of the French. They bushels per acre. If half of what is alleged should prove to be true their demandation of the French rule.

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France.

The Alsatians are especially indignant because German has been abolished from the schools of Alsace, where they say a great majority of the population is German-speaking and will migrate rather than abandon its native

## REJECTS ITALIAN PLAN.

the common carrier, to be ascertained by competitive bidding under regular tion to be prescribed by rule or otherwise by the Interstate Commerce Commission."

William H. Johnston, president of The agreement planned to regulate

giving rise to the same complaints formulated against the teaching of

German in the large German settle-ments in Santa Catharina state. This state had become so Germanized that after Brazil entered the war teaching of Portuguese and other national subjects was made obligatory in all schools throughout the union.

From the American City.

The idea underlying the construction of this successful machine, which has been used in a number of cities in Finland, Scandinavia and Russia, is to force the hot air and combustion gases from a furnace straight through the snow which is to be melted. This is done in such a way as to give thermal efficiency claimed to be more than 35 per cent.

The Fennia snow melter consists of a welded furnace of iron sheeting, water lacketed all around to keep it from damage through the tremendous heat generated and to avoid a radiation of heat. A special shaped water cooler cover, with suitable openings for the evan distribution of the heated air and combustion gases, taps the furnace. A removable snow receptacle surrounds this cover and the upper part of the furnace, which on the outside is equipped with a system of ducts for collecting and expelling the melted water, sand and dirt. A high-speed blower, suitably housed and driven by a small electric motor or gas engine, drives a strong current of air directly into the furnace, causing rapid combustion. The hot air and gases are driven straight through the snow, causing it to melt rapidly. The machine is practically smokeless because of the completeness of combustion.

MOTORPHORICALLY SPEAKING

"Folks across the hall from us had scrap last night. Wife told her husband she wouldn't live in a flat a month longer."
"Case of a flat tire, eh? What hap-

pened then?"
"She got a blowing up." Signs Point That Way.

"Bob is in love with Miss Young-blood."
"Did he tell you?"
"No; but he's got her photo hung whongside the picture of his best

## Governor Bans Inaugural Ball

At \$5 a Ticket MISSOULA, Mont., January 1.—Gov.-elect M. Dixon has called off an inaugural ball planned for Helena next week. "I don't want to be the honor guest at a party costing \$5 a ticket," he said.

### MAY TAKE POST HERE.

No Denial of Report That Sweden

Will Pick J. Sigfrid Edstrom. STOCKHOLM, December 29.-The foreign office has declined to confirm or deny a rumor that J. Sigfrid Edstrom, president of the Swedish General Electric Company, would be appointed Swedish minister to the United States. Mr. Edstrom's wife was Ruth Randall of Chicago.

The those new interests which irreconcilables are bound to establish as soon as peace with Germany is declared by the United States. These interests, as everybody knows, will be largely economic.

Germany, in particular, will not be in a position to pay her debt for a long time, if eyer. The same is true

Mr. Edstrom is head of the International Amateur Athletic Federation and was vice president of the Swedish Olympic committee in 1912. Last year he visited Washington to attend the international labor conference. year he visited Washington to attend the international labor conference. The post of Swedish minister at Washington has been vacant since the death there last month of W. A. F. Ekengren.

### BURBANK'S NEW RIVAL. om the Spokane Spokesman-Review. Luther Burbank now shares his

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By Cable to The Star and Obicset Daily News, (Copyright, 1921.)

ROME, January 1.—Medill McCormick, the United States senator from Illinois, who is touring the capitals of Europe, asking many questions and answering none, has arrived here. He met Premier Giolitti and is to see Foreign Minister Sforza, Ambassador Rolando Ricci and other leading Italians,

Italians.

Senator McCormick is irreconcilable and a conciliator. He is an irreconcilable so far as President Wilson's European policies go, but he is concilatory toward Europe with respect to those new interests which even the irreconcilables are bound to establish as soon as peace with Germany is declared by the United States. These interests, as everybody knows, will

in a position to pay her debt for a long time, if ever. The same is true of France, yet the United States undoubtedly has commercial interest in these countries.

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foreign trade.

The new company, which is the second Edge act corporation approved by the board, was formed to finance shipments of cottons and tobacco from the south to foreign countries, but it is expected that the corporation will devote itself principally to cotton, with the view of relieving the situation facing the growers.

Pending the issue of a final permit, the board said the corporation had the board said the corporation had authority to exercise only those pow-ers which are incidental and prelimi-nary to its organization.

Straight Advice. Visitor-I would like some books on Munination.

Librarian Electric or gas?

Visitor—I don't knew; my

says same light reading.

Approval of the articles of associa-

tion of the Federal International Banking Company of New Orleans was announced late yesterday by the

Pederal Reserve Board. The corpora-tion has a capital of \$7,000,000 and is organized under the provisions of the Edge act for the purpose of financing

Have Hope in Reparations Plea.

out Country Arouse Competition.

The Shipping Board yesterday opened bids for the board's housing properties all over the country, but deferred action on them. The bids ranged from \$50,000 to \$2,156,000, and in addition there were some afty tenders for single houses and small groups of buildings.

Charles J. Duns of Collingswood, N. J., offered \$2,156,000 for the project at Camden, N. J.: Fred Jones of Cleveland offered \$46,500 and Moses Haipper, Cleveland, \$400,200 for the Lorains, Ohio, project; the Garden City Wrecking Company of Long Island City bid \$50,000 for the Greton, Conn., project; the Industrial Trust Company of Wilmington, Del., offered \$1,151,200

project; the Industrial Trust Company of Wilmington, Del., offered \$1,151,200 for the Wilmington project, and Harry J. Heiden of Detroit offered \$131,000 and the Fiske Iron and Steel Company of Detroit, bid \$100,000 for the Wyan-

That Kid Again.

Boy—Are you and sis going on a long hike this afternoon? Suitor—Yes, Jihmny; why do you ask?

## ACT TO VIRGIN ISLANDS Congressional Commission Hears

Rum Is Being Distilled and Sold at 50 Cents a Gallon. congressional commission neaded by Senator Kenyon of Iowa. which has been studying conditions in the Virgin Islands, yesterday con

sidered the enactment of a special law to make the Volstead law for the enforcement of constitutional prohi-bition. applicable to the Virgin Is-While the constitutional amendment applies to the islands as a part of American territory, the Volstead enforcement act does not, members of the commission decided, because the Danish code of laws still is in effect. By the Associated Press.

BERLIN, December 31.—The feature of Germany's international relations which is arousing keen interest on the opening of the New Year in the containing of the New Year in the New

D. Hamilton Jackson, a negro resident of the islands, told the committee that under a Treasury order issued on November 28, distillation of West Indian rum had been resumed and that the intoxicant was sold freely to residents at \$60 a cask. the opening of the New Year is the prospective early peace with the United States. Public opinion views the coming of peace as one of the few beginning of the year is generally

putations. Her "paper deluge" at the beginning of the year is generally suspected of being well in excess of eighty billions. Germany is paying out billions monthly for food purchases abroad and these will continue well into the new year owing to the inadequacy of the last harvest. Wheat thus bought is paid for in foreign exchange.

The labyrinth of deficits and billionmark expenditures is in a chaetic state, with revenues which are to a large extent on paper or are arbitrarily estimated. The government's financial policies thus far have been wholly inadequate to cope with the confusion prevailing in the nation's exchequer. None of the measures in its expensive system of taxation is operative and the fate of the national emergency sacrifice levy, which is tantameunt to confiscation of expinal to the monactary of the serious of the committee calculated this at about 50 cents a gallon.

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The government's delegates to the recent Brussels conference returned in a happy frame of mind. They carried home the impression that the German plea for an early, businesslike adjustment of the reparations issue had not been in vain; that the burden of entertaining the army of occupation would be smellorated, the coal levy reduced and the gold reparations assessment held down to such dimension as eventually to enable Germany to float credits abroad. Germany hopes to appease the entente's demands in this direction with coal, dyestuffs, pharmaceutical preparations, petash, etc., thus enabling her to keep her industries in motion, and incidentally atimulate exports with a view to improving her battered mark as a medium of payment. **COMPULSORY INSURANCE** IS DECLARED A FAILURE

Committee, in Survey of European Systems, Finds Health Policy Does Not Prevent Illness.

NEW YORK, January 1 .- Social and declared a failure in the report of pose of curtailing production and the committee on foreign inquiry, made to the social insurance department of the National Civic Federa-

that the Moscow government succeeded in reinforcing itself at home is received as proof of the familiar theory that given food and stabilised economic and political conditions, the German workingman cannot be won over to Utopian experiements.

While these are the issues which are vessing the nation in an economic and political and conomic activities is chiefly an accomplishment of the past six months. It is accounted for in the active resumption of important pre-war industries, reopening of former markets oversees and betterment in the labor situation despite constantly mounting wage scales and food to work the committee on foreign inquiry, that given food and industrial scheme for in the active resumption of important pre-war industries, reopening of former markets oversees and betterment in the labor situation despite constantly mounting wage scales and food to will applie beyond the scales of even the well paid workers. Whether these beginnings toward an economic revival in industries, finances and exports can be maintained on a constantly according scale during 1921 is a matter of conjecture, at least until Germany is given a precise and definite interpretation as the maintained on a constantly according scale during 1921 is a matter of conjecture, at least until Germany is given a precise and definite interpretation as the maintained on a constantly according scale during 1921 is a matter of conjecture, at least until Germany is given a precise and definite interpretation as the maintained on a constantly according scale during 1921 is a matter of conjecture, at least until Germany is given a precise and definite interpretation as the maintained on a constantly of insurance stream in the constant of the previous proposal and the proposal and proposal and proposal according to the provide stream in the committee on foreign in fluid to the provide stream in the committee on foreign in the committee on foreign in the committee of the scale in the committee of the scale in the committee of the scale in the com

MANNERS.

From the London Express.

Manners are a pleasant deceit senspiracy to rob existence of much conspiracy to rob existence of much of its crudity. Because of them the elusive element of charm lingers in the world, and gentler natures are encouraged to their rebust growth. A lot of efficient people, though, have discarded manners as so much unmacessary impediments.

Why rise when a lady enters the room? Why appear interested when others talk? Why ask to be remembered to people you have hitherto forgotten? Why thank any one for giving you what you have paid for?

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Just as with so many others, there
is an instinctive lack of courtesy
which finds expression in boorishness,
Manners are not useless. They prevent you from giving thoughtless hurt
to others. They make you remain
silent when Chopin is being played;
Good manners commenced that a survey of the company dedirected. The wages of workmen and
abovers are not included.

The extra compensation consisted
of 20 per cent on the first \$100 of base
of 20 per cent on the second \$100,
10 per cent on the third and 5 per
cent on the fourth.

Mueller Manufacturing Company,
manufacturer of brass plumbing goods,
has announced that on January 1
it would reduce the price of its goods
an average of 20 per cent. Wages
of its 900 employes in Decatur
will be reduced an average of 10 per
cent on the same day. President
Adolph Mueller of the company declared that a survey of the conditions of the country are affected. The wages of workmen and
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### CONSIDER EXTENDING DRY AN OLD PROPHECY **MAYBEFULFILLED** IN TURK CAPITAL

ATHENS, January 1 .- All Greece and Turkey are aroused with superstitious awe, awaiting the fulfillment of an old prophecy which will make Constantinople Greek. The prophecy runs:

"If a ruler named Constantine should occupy the Greek throne with a consort named Sophia, then Constantinople will fall to Greece again and the crescent on the Hagia Sophia (the principal mosque in the Turkish capital) will be replaced by the cross."

The prophecy is so old that its origin is lost in tradition, but it is known to all Turks and Greeks. So firmly is belief in it sown in the minds of the Turks, that the mosque is now carefully wailed in, and is shown only with great re-luctance to persons of the greatest

The erur of the situation comes in the fact that with the return of Constantine to the throne of

Challenge Sidney Hillman to Substantiate Attempts

at Lockouts. NEW YORK, January 1 .- The Clothing Manufacturers' Association in a public letter to Sidney Hillman president of the Amalgamated Clothing Workers of America, challenged him to prove his charge that the manufacturers had proposed staging

preraced by the remark that I shall be ready to substantiate such statement publicly before any regularly constituted governmental body. I hope in the near future to have the opportunity to do so.

"You will agree with me that you and the members of your association." and the members of your association involved in this lockout are not the persons to pass upon the facts."

Pennsy Agreement With Men. PHILADELPHIA, January 1.—The Pennsylvania railroad announced last night that it has concluded a mutual night that it has concluded a mutual working agreement with the representatives of its engine and train service employes regarding the settlement of future labor differences, which "If lived up to in spirit by both sides, should, in the belief of the management," eliminate any question of strike on the Pennsylvania system, as for as train operation is concerned. as far as train operation is concerned

gan in this city December 21.

Compensation Reduced. WILMINGTON, Del., January 1.—The E. I. du Pont de Nemours & Co. announced that the extra compensation which has been allowed salaried employes since October I will be discon-tinued effective February I. Six thousand office employes and other 'salaried" workers in du Pont plants

### CAN SELL EQUIPMENT Clayton Act Provision Permitting Sale to Own Lines Resumed

ROAD OFFICIALS AGAIN

Railroads of the United States, un-der section ten of the Clayton anti-trust act, which becomes effective to day after a six-year suspension, will be allowed to purchase equipment an supplies from concerns in which the roads or their officials are interested when the bid of the selling company is the most favorable one received by

William H. Johnston, president of the International Association of Machinists, acting on behalf of the recognized railroad organizations, today took issue with the statement of railroad representatives that failure to provide a further suspension of the section would add hundreds of thousands of dollars to the cost of railroad operation. Mr. Johnston declared if that statement be true "it will also follow that the required change will effect a saving of millions and tens of millions of dollars in the high prices now paid under in the high prices now paid under secret contracts to concerns in which

Will Commemorate Tenth Anniversary of Postal System.

manufacturers had proposed staging strikes and lockouts here for the purpose of curtailing production and maintaining high prices.

"This is a serious charge, and the public and we are entitled to proof, if there be any. in substantiation thereof," said the letter. "You must either withdraw your statement or prove it.

"Demand is hereby made upon you that you either retract your indictment or make public the names of the manufacturers who made the proposal and the full details."

Hillman made public tonight the following reply to the Manufacturers' Association:

"The statement I made in the city of Boston on December 29, 1920, was prefaced by the remark that I shall be ready to substantiate such statement publicly before any regularly constituted governmental body. I hope in the near future to have the opportunity to do so.

"You will agree with me that you and the members of your association:

"You will agree with me that you and the members of your association involved in this lockout association in the case of the statement of deposits amount, \$2,500.

## MEXICO NAMES OFFICIALS.

NOGALES, Ariz., January 1.—President Obregon of Mexico has appointd Benjamin Trasvins of Nogales, Sonora, to be consul general at New York and Alberto Mascarenas, also of Nogales, as consul general at San Francisco, it was announced by Mexican officials vestigate. was announced by Mexican officials yesterday.

Transisco, it was announced by Mexican officials yesterday.

Trasvina is a former vice president of the Nogales Chamber of Commerce and a merchandise broker. Mascarena is the outcome of the series of meetings between representatives of the management and of the engine and train service employes, which became it is a continuous to the continuous trains and the

> that the public will build when ma terials and labor come down. Coke Frices Reduced.

soft coal.

CHATTANOOGA, Tenn., January 1.

Announcement has been made that the Standard Processing Company and Thacher Spinning Mills, two of the largest concerns of the kind in this section, would resume full operation next week after having been closed down for several months.

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Examination of the language of section ten revealed today that no absolute prohibition is placed on dealings between railroads and equipment concerns in which they or their officials are interested, as was stated in some quarters yesterday, after President Wilson had vetoed the bill granting a further suspension.

The section provides that such purchases are prohibited "unless and except such purchases shall be made or such dealings be with the bidder whose bid is the most favorable to the common carrier, to be ascertained by compatifive bidding under recently offered to Brazil. The Brazil.

## **NEW SAVINGS CARD.**

Issuance of a new postal savings card which will displace the 10-cent card used since 1911 today marked the tenth anniversary of the United States postal savings system.

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ST. LOUIS, January 1.—Reductions of \$2 and \$2.50 a ton for coke were to be put in effect by two local concerns today. It was explained that the distributors desire to supply a smokeless fuel at a cost proportionate to that of soft coal.

LEBANON, Pa., January 1.-It was announced yesterday from the general offices of the Lebanon plant of Bethlehem Steel Company that there would be a readjustment downward of wages, effective January 16. An official of the company said that in the case would the reduction exceed 29 per cent.